

LOCAL NEWS.

Journal miniature Almanac. Sun rises, 6:31. Length of day, 11 hours, 57 min. 48 sec. Moon rises at 5:19 a. m.

Prepare for the 14th of November. L. Weinstein is offering goods as low as ever. See "ad."

Mr. C. E. Slover announces for sale mince meat and plum pudding. The steamer Blanche arrived last night from Trenton with a cargo of cotton.

Mrs. L. Weinstein gives notice of grand opening of fall stock of millinery. The steamer Florence arrived from Swift creek last night with a cargo of oysters.

Several boat loads of oysters in yesterday. They have a good flavor but are not fat yet. Thirty thousand pounds of seed cotton sold to Major Dennison yesterday from Hyde county at 35 cents.

The City Marshal has completed the grading of the sidewalk around the Academy Green, making a nice job of it. The Atlantic Steam Fire Co. held a special meeting last night to make arrangements for the night parade on the 14th.

Second Assistant Engineer Webber, of the revenue cutter Stevens, has been ordered to Wilmington for duty on the cutter Colfax. We regret to learn of the death of Mrs. J. W. Burt, daughter of W. H. West, Esq., of Lenoir county, which occurred on Sunday night.

Mr. N. M. Gaskill, merchant tailor, is constantly receiving a fine line of samples and goods for fall suits. He is ready to measure any one who wants a good suit.

Exciting Event. Yesterday afternoon the hands on the Cotton Exchange yard were engaged in putting a hoop on a bale of cotton with the new patent tie buckle which attracted the attention of bystanders sufficient to collect a group of several persons. This was seen by distant observers and the news spread up the street that a man had been found in a bale of cotton, and produced an unnecessary excitement which was only allayed when it was announced that it was a man on a bale of cotton. An evidence of a dull day at the Exchange.

The Journal in New Quarters. The Journal comes out this morning from its new quarters at the former custom house, next door to the court house. This change of base is not made because we did not like our neighbors in the old place; far from it, we did like them and are only glad we had to leave them so short a distance, but the change is made because we here have a more convenient and suitable building.

The change of base means no change of policy and the JOURNAL designs to go right on and "fight it out" on this line if it takes all summer. Through the courtesy of our neighbor of the Nut Shell and the energy of our foreman and typos we are enabled to make this move without the loss of an issue.

Our latch string still hangs on the outside. We regret to learn of the death of Mrs. J. W. Burt, daughter of W. H. West, Esq., of Lenoir county, which occurred on Sunday night. Mr. N. M. Gaskill, merchant tailor, is constantly receiving a fine line of samples and goods for fall suits.

Rev. Mr. Eason, by special request, preached an able and eloquent sermon to a large congregation in the Baptist Church on Sunday evening. The accuracy with which God weighs the moral man was set forth with an orator's skill and the earnestness of a preacher inspired by his subject.

The Journal acknowledges indebtedness to Mr. Chas. Crabtree for energy and efficiency in the removal and readjusting of the power press of this office. Mr. C. gave undivided attention to the matter and because of his superior skill and experience in matters of machinery, did it quite as well as the editorial staff could have done, which we think is saying "quite a good deal."

Hotel Improvement. The Central Hotel has just completed a new, spacious and elegant dining room, and with new tables, new linen and furniture and the polite proprietor, W. E. Patterson, one may expect to be served in handsomestyle. Mosquitoes. Commodore George Credle says Governor Jarvis might not to complain of the mosquito bites at Morehead City as they always go for the best blood.

Schooner Arrivals. The Governor Vance, Capt. S. H. Spencer, from England with oats, corn, cotton and rice. The E. Francis, Capt. Ben Payne, from Nebraska with corn and cotton. The Varian, Capt. Bell, from Sladesville with seed cotton.

Letter From Smithfield. Mr. Rorer—Thinking perhaps you would like to hear from our little town by the Neuse, I will give you a few items. Cotton still continues to come in freely, selling from 91 to 94 on the 29th.

The brick work of T. R. Hood & Co's iron front brick store was completed on the 29th, and when the building is completed will be an ornament to our town. I understand it is to be used for a drug store. I know of no place that another drug store would pay as well as here.

I understand Mr. H. G. Williams, jr., of Speights Bridge, Greene county, has brought a dwelling house of Mr. W. M. Ives and will move here sometime in next month and will do a general merchandise business. There is one thing that Smithfield needs very bad, and that is a first class hardware store.

Dwelling houses are very much in demand. There is not an unoccupied one in town. Judging from the amount of cotton being shipped from this place, Smithfield is giving the A. & N. C. Railroad a good deal of work to do. It must be one of the largest shipping points on the road.

No more at this time. Will let you hear from me again soon. Catharine Lake Items. Mrs. H. D. Murrill has just returned from a visit to her parents at Raleigh. Miss Agnes Grady is having a very full school at Catharine Lake Academy.

Mrs. H. T. Ham and J. B. Cox have lately returned from Mt. Olive. They spent a week with relatives. Several tenants have already arranged to move. Let all remember that next year may be better than this.

Mr. Kit Stephens has built him a large stock-house, or stable, and made other improvements on his excellent farm. The cane crop is paying real well, much more than was expected during the dry weather. It far exceeds the cotton this season.

Mr. H. C. Bowen baptized three on the 3rd Sunday morning near Adams school house and preached at Christian Prospect same day. Mr. Hull, Duplin Circuit, failed to meet his 2nd Sunday appointment at Richlands on account of a revival in which he was engaged. He preached at Haw Branch 3rd Sunday morning, and at Richlands at 8 p. m.

Mr. W. B. Nunn can tell you how to make a week shorter, if your wife has left home for a week, and the time seems long. He has tried it and says, "Go after her before the 27th and stay the balance of the week."

Pollockville Items. People are generally in good health. Everything is lively and trade is good. Seed cotton sells at from 8 to 4-3-10 cents per pound.

Weather some colder and good for harvesting the crops. The steamer Blanche carried 33 bales of cotton from here during the week. Hudson & Hudson are putting in a glass front to their already nice store. There were several in our town this week who had taken in a goodly quantity of red-eye.

Mr. W. Koozee has opened his store and expects to furnish his patrons with oysters in any manner asked for. The tramroad question is very still at present; guess they will have it again the first Monday at Trenton.

Mr. T. A. Bell has received his material for building a store which he proposes to commence erecting soon. Pollockville Debating Society adjourned on Tuesday night to meet on the last Friday night in March '84. Prof. Wynn has his school at the Academy in successful operation.

The steamer Trent carried 136 bales of cotton to New Berne from here during the week, also about 1015 sacks of seed. There was a sociable at the residence of Mrs. Perry on Monday night. All seemed to enjoy themselves, but there was some complaint with some of the young men the next day on account of very heavy falls that they received in trying to catch the girls. Such is the case.

Waterbury, Conn., Oct. 25.—One hundred Italians from New York are employed here laying sewers. To-night their wages were cut down from \$1.50 to \$1, and they made an attack on the contractor's office with loud threats, blocking the street. A riot was prevented by the arrival of a large force of police. Another outbreak is expected.

THE YOUTH'S COMPANION. This admirable paper still holds its place as the very first among the publications for young people. It is always attractive with bright stories and artistic illustrations, and is always instructive, containing information on all kinds of subjects we like to know about.

House for Rent. A GOOD TWO-STORY BUILDING on George street. Apply to DR. FRANK DEPPY, New Bern, N. C. L. Weinstein HAS THE Most Selected Stock LOWER THAN EVER.

Grand Opening of THE MILLINERY DEPARTMENT IN L. WEINSTEIN'S STORE BY MRS. WEINSTEIN Thursday, First Day of November, 1883. Handsome Hats at Low Prices.

COMMERCIAL.

JOURNAL OFFICE, Oct. 29, 6 P. M. COTTON—New York futures very dull. Spots dull. New Berne market dull. Sales of 79 bales at prices from 9 to 9-4.

MIDDLING, 91; STRICT LOW MIDDLING, 91; LOW MIDDLING, 91; ORDINARY, NEW YORK SPOTS. MIDDLING, 10 5-8; STRICT LOW MIDDLING 10 7-16; LOW MIDDLING 10 1-4.

FUTURE. MORNING. EVENING. October, 10.51 10.52 10.53 November, 10.53 10.52 10.52 December, 10.65 10.68 10.64 January, 10.77 10.77 10.78

CORN—Receipts of 1399 bushels old; 50 bushels new; old selling at 70 cents; new 65 cents. RICE—Receipts 400 bushels; best offered selling readily at 105; extra quality would bring 107 to 110.

DOMESTIC MARKET. TRENTON—Dip, \$2.25; hard \$1.25. TAR—Firm at \$1.25 and \$1.50. BEEHIVE—5c. per lb.

THE CHEAPEST MILLINERY EVER BROUGHT To Market. I Defy Competition!! The Regular Opening will be on THURSDAY, Oct. 25.

Mrs. M. D. DEWEY, POLLOCK STREET, Nearly Opposite Old Stand. Oysters. DAVID SPEIGHT'S.

Mince Meat, Plum Pudding, Black wheat, Currants, Citron, Mackerel, Smoked Herrings, Fulton Market Beef, Beef Tongues, Breakfast Strips, Small Hams, Sugar Cured Shoulders, Cheese, Pickles, White Bonnets, Indian Maccaroni, Fresh Canned Lobsters, Raisins, A lot of CHOICE TEAS.

25 Doz. Collins' Axes, N. C. Pattern. \$9.50 per Dozen. Evergreen warranted.

Will You Do It? If you want a good cigar for 10 cents or 15 cents, you can always find them at PALMER'S Clear and Tobacco Store at the SIGN OF "THE MAJORS."

I. C. YEOMANS, NEW CASH STORE, Broad St., between Railroad and Middle. CALL AND GET New Buckwheat Flour and Strained Honey.

Leader of Low Prices. Wholesale and Retail. Dry Goods, Fancy Goods and Notions, Cheaper Than Ever Offered Before.

O. MARKS, THE UNRIVALED NEW FARMER GIRL COOK STOVE. Nothing further seems necessary to make the New Farmer Girl a perfect and beautiful cooking apparatus.

P. M. DRANEY, SOLE AGENT, NEW BERNE, N. C. Any castings wanted for Farmer Girl Cook Stoves sold by P. M. DRANEY at 10 cts per pound.

Pigs' Feet, Tripe, Pickles. By the half bbl. or keg. Wholesale and Retail. CHAS. H. BLANK.

FOR SALE CHEAP. Having purchased the Stock and Fixtures of A. H. POTTER & CO. and not wishing to move the goods, I will sell them during the week at GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.

For Sale. A nice house, with eight rooms and all necessary outbuildings, situated on German street, in the City of New Bern.